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Bond Market Insight

Additional financing in FX

Government bond auction results

Although on Tuesday the MoF refinanced all domestic FX debt repayments scheduled through the end of February, it held an unscheduled primary auction yesterday and sold an additional US\$40.25m of USD-denominated bonds, providing the state budget with an additional US\$40.00m of financing. The MoF sold the same bonds as it did on Tuesday, with maturity on March 17, fulfilling a single bid at 8.75%, the usual rate for these bonds in February.

Most likely, total FX debt repayments scheduled this month exceed current FX reserves at the MoF. As Tuesday's proceeds will not cover all needs in FX for domestic and external debt repayments scheduled until the IMF's debut tranche is received. The MoF could successfully sell an additional portion of short-term zero-coupon FX-denominated bonds with maturity in the second half of March.

Table 1. Details of last government bond auction

ISIN	Coupon rate (%)		Qty of bonds sold	Price (UAH)	Pro- ceeds² (UAHm)	Volume ² (UAHm)	YTM³ (%)	Out- standing (m)
UA4000189294	0.00	17-Mar-15	40,250	993.81	1,084.02	1,090.78	8.42	3,800.78
Total			40,250		1,084.02	1,090.78		3,800.78

Note: Note: [1] payment frequency abbreviations: Q - quarterly, SA - semi-annually; [2] proceeds and volumes for the USD-denominated bonds are calculated based on the previous day last price of USD/UAH exchange rate 27.1; [3] yields on coupon-bearing bonds are effective yields to maturity. Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, Bloomberg, Investment Capital Ukraine

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Term structure of yields

Duration (vrs)

0.08

Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.

0.04

0.02

Auction results

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Auction	Last 18-Feb-15	Previous 17-Feb-15	Change
Breakdown by y	rields (%)		_
3-month	8.42	8.44	-2бп
6-month			
9-month			
1-year			
2-year			
3-year			
5-year			

Breakdown by proceeds (UAHm)

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3-month	1,084.02	2,623.02	-58.67%
6-month			
9-month			
1-year			
2-year			
3-year			
5-year			
Total	1,084.02	2,623.02	-58.67%

Notes: yields on coupon bearing bonds are effective yields to maturity; [1] only bonds that were placed via the auctions; [2] WA life – weighted average life or years to maturity.

Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.



Appendix: Auctions history and schedule for 2015

Chart 1. History of yields at government bond auctions: breakdown by tenor of bonds sold (last 3-year period)



Chart 2. History of proceeds at government bond auctions: breakdown by tenor of bonds sold (last 3-year period)

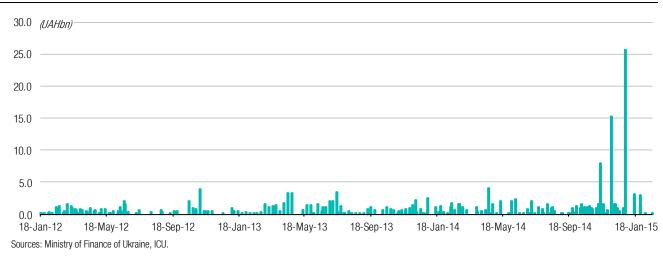
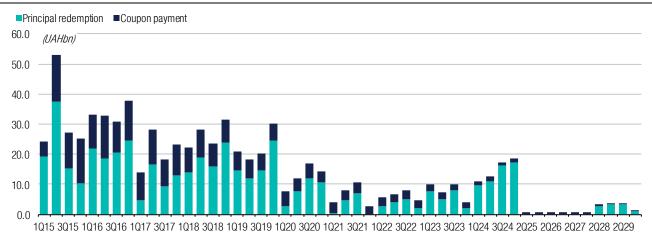


Chart 3. Schedule of redemptions of the local-currency government bonds*



Note: the chart depicts data on bonds, which were placed via the auctions, i.e. it does not contain data on recapitalisation bonds. Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, ICU.



Table 2. Schedule of government bond auctions in 2015

Action dates, tenors of bonds to be offered and volume (in hryvnia) of government's refinancing needs for the next 7-day period as of auction date

Month	Auction details	1st Tuesday	2nd Tuesday	3rd Tuesday	4th Tuesday	5th Tuesday
January	Auction date	6 January 2015	13 January 2015	20 January 2015	27 January 2015	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
February	Auction date	3 February 2015	10 February 2015	17 February 2015	24 February 2015	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	0.00	0.00	3,663,357,241.50	2,640,625,851.36	
March	Auction date	3 March 2015	10 March 2015	17 March 2015	24 March 2015	31 March 2015
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,632,385,000.00	311,512,739.50	11,253,197,743.38	4,740,241,519.00	6,268,800,820.90
April	Auction date	7 April 2015	14 April 2015	21 April 2015	28 April 2015	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,576,593,150.00	1,984,719,358.50	14,941,262,334.75	1,173,264,523.00	
May	Auction date	5 May 2015	12 May 2015	19 May 2015	26 May 2015	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	8,370,152,149.65	1,984,840,636.00	1,506,666,963.10	5,340,093,608.45	
June	Auction date	2 June 2015	9 June 2015	16 June 2015	23 June 2015	30 June 2015
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	6,306,600,032.70	1,100,829,460.00	1,280,431,240.00	1,165,942,718.10	514,467,890.00
July	Auction date	7 July 2015	14 July 2015	21 July 2015	28 July 2015	, ,
_	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,491,421,131.25	4,289,171,212.50	6,812,767,264.50	1,517,056,906.25	
	Auction date	4 August 2015	11 August 2015	18 August 2015	25 August 2015	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,099,399,401.25	1,272,399,806.88	2,273,641,506.75	1,239,005,731.25	
	Auction date	1 September 2015	8 September 2015	15 September 2015	22 September 2015	29 September 2015
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	20 00010111201 2010
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,916,000,000.00	836,512,739.50	1,407,242,452.50	2,070,215,019.00	562,928,473.50
	Auction date	6 October 2015	13 October 2015	20 October 2015	27 October 2015	,,
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	1,087,078,150.00	1,139,719,358.50	1,628,141,378.00	1,502,264,523.00	14/7
November	, ,	3 November 2015	10 November 2015	17 November 2015	24 November 2015	
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
	Next 7 days refinancing needs	879,682,389.15	1,622,990,636.00	3,310,647,197.50	1,038,975,861.25	
	Auction date	1 December 2015	8 December 2015	15 December 2015	22 December 2015	29 December 2015
	Short-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
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	Medium-term bonds	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Notes: 1) highlighted data in the rows of "Next 7 days refinancing needs" indicates critical volume of refinancing needs (i.e. above UAH0.5bn) for the government in the next 7-day period; 2) the volume of refinancing needs include principal redemptions and coupon payments.

Sources: Ministry of Finance of Ukraine, Investment Capital Ukraine LLC.



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